

# WILLIMANTIC

**NORWICH BULLETIN**  
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The eighteenth annual conference of the King's Daughters of New London, Willimantic and Norwich counties was held Tuesday at 10 o'clock at the Willimantic Methodist Episcopal church. At 10:30 o'clock prayer was offered by Rev. John Pearce, the pastor. Sixty delegates from churches in the three counties attended, also many members not delegates. The following address was given by Miss Carrie Hill of this city, Mrs. J. C. Attorney of Norwich responding.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read by the vice president, Mrs. George H. Prior of Jewett City and were followed by a vocal solo by Miss Ruth Herrick which was very much enjoyed.

The report of Mrs. C. D. Foster of Norwich, county president, was given. He said in substance: It is gratifying to report to the delegates at this convention that the King's Daughters are in a sound condition. There are twenty-two circles, besides an independent list, as same as last year, with a membership of 724. Willimantic county in membership has 126 with six circles. The Eastern Shore and Dutch Beaver having gained in membership during the past year. New London county with sixteen circles has a membership of 615, a gain of nineteen members. The independent list has seven names.

The eighteen circles have reported receipts of \$296.75 and expenditures of \$217.25. In the amount of money raised, credit belongs to earnest workers of East Thompson, Home Chapter at Norwich, St. James of New London, Epiphany of Norwich and Dorcas of Jewett City.

Mrs. Foster recommended increased interest in cradle rolls, telling of the fine work done during the year in this work by the King's Daughters.

In closing she said: There has scarcely been a time in the history of the Christian religion is more needed than at present; therefore the King's Daughters should resolve to make upon whatever opportunity may come for service in this cause.

Various reports of secretaries were heard and approved. Mrs. J. W. Deans of New London spoke on "Literature of the Order." A fine dinner was served at noon by the Ladies Aid society of the church, guests being Mrs.

Veterans who have died during the past year were: Captain Alvin M. Crane of Malden, Mass.; Captain Charles Fenton of Willimantic; First Lieutenant A. Kevin of Willimantic; Captain Walter P. Long of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Francis Jacobs of Willimantic; Andrew A. Perkins of New York City; James H. Harris of Willimantic; Arthur W. Williams of Berlin; William W. Randall of Berlin; Joseph L. Burdick of Oak Stoughton; and Francis B. Clark of Hyde Park.

A dinner was served at noon by Frances S. Long Woman's Relief Corps, No. 28.

The session was resumed at 3:30 o'clock, short addresses being made. Songs were furnished by the Temple Male Quartet. It was voted to hold the annual reunion of 123 in Willimantic. Adjournment followed.

The criminal side of the May term of the Windham County superior court opened here Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, with Judge C. L. Avery on the bench. Prayer was offered by Rev. Harry S. McCreedy, pastor of the First Congregational church. The roll call of the jury showed sixteen names. It was explained that published notice in the newspapers that the jury was not to be called until 2 p. m. had been sent out in error. The jury was then excused by the court until 2 p. m.

The first case was that of Theophilus B. Belding, of Putnam, charged on four counts with assault with intent to rape Miry Rose Cadette, a ten year old Putnam girl, on May 28, 1921. A plea of not guilty was entered and a trial by jury chosen.

Alfred Fredette of Sterling charged with assault on Alvin P. Cowry on March 21, 1921, pleaded guilty and was fined \$5 and costs. George Bricault of Putnam charged with violation of the liquor law pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs.

Edward Feebles, 31, and Chester Fay 19, both colored, charged with burglary were put to plea. They were charged with two counts, entering the home of Judge Frank H. Post and Dr. Michael D. Tordian in the early morning hours of Saturday, April 8, 1922, stealing from

the home one gold watch valued at \$100, one suit of men's clothes and \$15 in money, and from the home of Dr. Michael Tordian one cane of lobster valued at \$1.50. Feebles pleaded not guilty and elected to be tried by court. Fay entered a plea of guilty.

The case of Robert Beebeville, of this city, charged with violation of the liquor law on three counts, was called by State Attorney Charles E. Sears, with approval of the court. Beebeville has been fined \$300 for a similar offense and as he had no money in held at the county jail at Brooklyn, this being considered by the court.

Allice Kilmner, of Hampton, charged with theft was in court but when trial was called was taken ill and Dr. Michael Tordian stated that the woman was in no condition to appear in court. She was taken back to jail by automobile in charge of Mrs. Edwin Bennett, of Killingly.

The case of Joseph Mazzarella, of Brooklyn charged with abuse of a female child aged 14 years, was called at the request of the complainant.

The afternoon session opened at 2:15 o'clock the case of Joseph Reginald at being called first. A plea of not guilty was entered. The accused was charged with attempt to rob Albert Kirchino and wife at their home in East Thompson on the night of February 25, 1921. At the criminal session of the court one year ago Michael Delmot and Frank DeBlack, confederates of Reginald, were tried by a jury which disagreed.

The roll call of the jury followed, twenty responding. Nelson A. Daniels was excused. Frederick J. Williams was challenged by the defense and Albert L. Mills by the state were excused. The following jurors were drawn and the rest were excused: C. M. Elliott, Putnam; George Barstow, Canterbury; E. J. Bartlett, Willford; L. H. Huxford, Killingly; Marcelle Jette, Jr., Plainfield; J. B. Moffitt and Charles Danielson, Pomfret; L. B. Ashley, Scotland; George P. Pierce, Jr., Sterling; Everett Fletcher, Killingly; Chester E. May, and George Keach, Woodstock.

Following the swearing in of the jury the prisoners were presented and were charged with assault. The witnesses called were Albert Kirchino and Lena Kirchino, his wife, who testified at length to the alleged holdup and actions at their home, February 25rd. Deputy Sheriff William N. Bates of Thompson told of receiving the bullet found by Mr. Kingsbury. When court closed at 5 p. m. Mrs. Kirchino was on the stand. Court will open this (Wednesday) morning at 10 o'clock when the trial will be resumed.

The weekly meeting of the Willimantic Rotary club was held Tuesday noon with an attendance of 37.5 per cent. Present absent: L. Murphy presided. Guests of the club were Arch Lees and son, Gordon Lees of Ridgefield Park, N. J., and club and Pitt Parker, of Boston Rotary club.

Harry W. Standish, chairman of the entertainment committee, outlined the program for ladies right to be held next Tuesday evening. A fine program had been arranged, acts to be pulled off by members of the club on notice. Proctor, who is what is planned and dancing will close the entertainment.

As Memorial day this year falls on Tuesday it was voted to hold the meeting that week. Wednesday noon, May 21st. At this meeting J. C. Tracy is to tell the story of his life and Valentine L. Turbly will make the presentation speech.

The autobiography at Tuesday's meeting was by Raymond A. Parker, who told of being born at 2 a. m. June 22, 1883, which early training stood him in well while in the army, for while others kicked at hearing reveille at 5 a. m. he simply smiled, and then turned over and went to sleep. Ray, after telling of his hobby for fishing, recommended that other rotarians get a hobby and then ride it.

In making the presentation speech Charles W. Hill gave him a soothing lotion for callouses on Ray's hands because of shoveling coal. A fine program was presented Ray for use on his main fishing trip.

Arch Lees spoke briefly, stating that Rotary was carrying forth the principles of Jesus Christ, the world's greatest religion. Most churches today, he said, are overlooking the greatest of Christ's teachings—Service—the main objective, and unless the church changed its policy of teaching nothing but doctrines and look to preaching and living service the church will never rise above its present position.

Pitt Parker spoke briefly backing up the statements of Arch Lees. Gordon Lees, who has recently had an operation on his thigh was excused until a future meeting. Adjournment was taken at 1:15 o'clock with the singing of the Star Spangled Banner.

Arthur Willard Hall, of North Windham, called at the police station Tuesday morning and stated that his automobile had struck two girls on the North Windham road. One of the girls was taken to St. Joseph's hospital for treatment, the other escaping injury.

Chamney Wilton, of Windham, was taken to the legs, his son escaping injury. Tuesday noon, when their automobile skidded on the newly oiled road on the Windham side of Horseshoe bridge and went down a fifteen foot embankment into the river. The automobile was considerably damaged. Mr. Wilton's injuries were of a minor nature.

The S. O. C. club of the Methodist Episcopal church held its annual meeting Monday night at the home of Mrs. C. O. Barrows. Officers: Vocal solo, President, Alice Clough; vice president, Grace Phillips; secretary, Jerome Jones; treasurer, Morley Johnson.

There is considerable action in this city for daylight saving or some sort of time whereby stores and manufacturing plants might open at an earlier hour and close earlier in the afternoon, giving working people a chance to have more daylight after working hours. It is planned to call a special city meeting when voters will have a chance to express themselves for or against the time in Willimantic. Many cities around Willimantic are on daylight time for the summer.

Local stores are to close Thursday afternoon, beginning this week, until October.

Collections of clothing for the New East Relief are to be made in this city Saturday as in other cities throughout

the country. People are requested to have their bundles ready and bundles can be left at the Y. M. C. A., Congregational church, and Brick and Sullivan. The slogan adopted for the drive for clothing for the suffering people of the Near East is "Moth Balls or Mercy."

It is expected that Willimantic residents will do their share in this humanitarian work as in drives heretofore.

During the summer months, Wednesday afternoons from two to four o'clock the Red Cross rooms on Main street will be devoted to baby clinics. This is the third summer this plan has been carried out by the Red Cross and babies will receive careful attention by the physician present and the nurses.

Mrs. Julia A. Johnson, 79, died Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. J. Porter of South Windham. She was the daughter of William and Lucy Mott Lead and besides her husband, Oliver C. Johnson, leaves four children: Mrs. H. L. Strong of New York, Mrs. M. J. Johnson of East Windham, Mrs. James G. Porter of South Windham and Harry P. Johnson. There are seven grand children.

Dr. William H. Day, of Bridgeport, formerly moderator of the Congregational National Council, noted for his work as an organizer in the Men's Work, at the dinner for men only to be held at Storrs, Monday of next week.

Brief Notes

Albert J. Piche has been chosen for a leading part in Katcha Koo, the musical comedy now to be presented by the Catholic Welfare Council. Work for the play is progressing rapidly.

Mrs. Howard Green, who has been ill, has recovered sufficiently to go for a visit at the home of Mrs. E. F. Combes, of Andover.

The guard team of the Masons held Tuesday evening at the town hall in preparation for the prize drill scheduled for Saturday of this week.

Mrs. Jerome B. Baldwin and daughter, Mrs. Belle Riggsman of Prospect street are to attend the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pratt of Framingham, Mass., cousins of Mrs. Baldwin.

Arch Lees and son, Gordon Lees, of Ridgefield Park, N. J., are spending several weeks at their summer home at Crystal Lake, Eastford.

Work has begun on altering the front of the J. B. Pullerton & Company store of Main street. When completed the front will be entirely changed, new display windows taking the places of the old store front.

Joseph P. Litchfield of Brooklyn, N. Y., was a recent visitor at his home on Windham street.

Mrs. Sara Keever, visiting in New Britain, attended the concert given by Rosa Ponelle in Hartford Tuesday evening.

Frank S. Avery of South Coventry, left Sunday evening for California, where he will be with the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad.

Local sport fans, watching Johnny Cooney, the youngster with the New Haven Astors League, were pleased to learn that he won his first game from Springfield, 2 to 2.

HEBRON

Miss Martin of Boston was the guest of her parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Martin, over the week end.

Mrs. Ruth Jones of Boston was the guest of local friends over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Howe and Mrs. Dwight Tucker of Hartford called on friends here Sunday.

William Redmont and family of Willimantic were in town Sunday. Tuesday evening Hebron grange con-

cluded the third and fourth degrees on a number of candidates.

It is expected there will be a union service of the Hebron and Gilead churches on Sunday morning, service to begin at 11 o'clock.

The C. E. society has been invited to meet with the Andover C. E. S. Sunday evening.

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The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church is to meet at Mrs. Martin Davis Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Post leave today Wednesday for a week's stay in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. F. H. P. Clement and daughter, Phyllis have returned from Norwich.

The service at the Congregational church Monday evening, were delighted and entertained in listening to the lecture on Alaska and the Midnight Sun, given by Mrs. Frank G. Burdick of Woonsocket, R. I. The speaker and her sisters-in-law, Mrs. Kendrick spent four years in Alaska, and illustrating her lecture with beautiful lantern slides. She conducted her hearers on a voyage to this far northern possession of Uncle Sam and a thousand miles up the mighty Yukon. Its principal cities were visited, with stories and recitation to teach and tell of the people and customs with which she had become familiar.

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